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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending February 22, 2003

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There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending February 22, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 87,441 unemployment claims were filed during the week.

This was down 443 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 93,499 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 7,246 a decrease of 139 under the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in one office furniture plant in the state during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 79,539. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$18,792,987
EUC Benefits Paid	\$2,720,685
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$133,429,778
Trust fund balance	\$1,014,977,387

Unemployment Insurance Trends

